

17. (NEW) A flat display unit as set forth in claim 2, wherein said chassis has a cut-out formed at a side thereof, the cut-out allowing a cable to pass therethrough for electrically interconnecting the display pane and the circuit board.

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted to further prosecution of this application by placing same in better form, including eliminating all multiple-dependencies from the claims.

Accordingly, entry of the Preliminary Amendment and favorable examination are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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